

PC DVD-ROM

GAME MANUAL



THE  
WITCHER  
WILD HUNT

The background of the cover features Geralt of Rivia, a white-haired witcher, looking intensely at the viewer. He is wearing his characteristic armor and has a sword on his back. He is holding a sword in his right hand. The title 'THE WITCHER WILD HUNT' is overlaid on the image, with 'THE' in a smaller font above 'WITCHER', and 'WILD HUNT' below it. The 'W' in 'WITCHER' is stylized with a red and black design. The 'H' in 'HUNT' is also stylized with a red and black design. There are some small red and black marks around the title.



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# INSTALLING THE GAME

## Internet Connection

An Internet connection is required when launching *The Witcher® 3: Wild Hunt* for the first time. The game will automatically download the release day patch. Once the patch is installed, the game no longer requires an Internet connection and can be launched offline.

If the release day patch is not downloaded automatically, please check our knowledge base at: [thewitcher.com/support](http://thewitcher.com/support)

## Installing *The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt*

1. Close all open applications and background tasks.
2. Insert *The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt - Game Disc 1* into the DVD-ROM drive.
  - If AutoPlay is enabled, the installation screen will appear automatically.
  - If AutoPlay is not enabled, navigate to the DVD-ROM drive containing *The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt - Game Disc 1* and run the "setup.exe" file.
3. When the game installer window appears, select the preferred language and accept the EULA when prompted.
  - The language you select will be used during installation and for the game itself. You can change the in-game text language later using the in-game menus.
4. Press "Install" to install the game to the default directory. To install the game to a different location, click "Options."
  - In "Options," you can also choose the voice-over language to be installed. English voice-overs are always installed in addition to the language you select here.
5. Run the game using the shortcut created during the installation process.
  - **NOTE:** It is important you use this shortcut. Do not try to run the game any other way.
6. The game will automatically download the release day patch.
7. Once the patch is installed, you can play the game.

## Installing DirectX®

*The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt* requires DirectX® 11. If you do not have DirectX® 11 installed, the installer will prompt you to accept a License Agreement and install DirectX® 11.

## PLAYING THE GAME

### Launching the Game with the GOG.com Galaxy Client

Click on *The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt* shortcut. This will open the GOG.com Galaxy Client. To launch *The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt*, click “Play.”

### Accessing Extra Features with a GOG.com Game Code

To download updates and free DLC, you must connect your game to a GOG.com account. To do so:

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4. Enter your GOG.com Game Code to redeem.

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You can select a different voice-over language in the “Settings” section. Doing so will download the voice-over files for the language of your choice. You must be logged in to your GOG.com account to download new voice-over files. English voice-over files will remain available in addition to the language you select here.

### Importing Saved Games

You can import a saved game from *The Witcher® 2: Assassins of Kings*. Doing so will incorporate the choices you made in that saved game into your *The Witcher 3* experience. To import a saved game, click on “Import *The Witcher 2* saved game” in the Main Menu under the “New Game” option.

**NOTE:** This option is only available if there are saves from *The Witcher 2: Assassins of Kings* present in the saved game folder:

%SystemDrive%\Users\%USERNAME%\Documents\Witcher 2\gamesaves

Any *The Witcher 2* saved games present in that folder can be imported into *The Witcher 3: Wild Hunt*. However, it is highly recommended you use the final autosave from Act 3 of *The Witcher 2*, as any earlier saves will not incorporate choices made in the latter stages of the game. Default settings will be applied to any choices not imported.

If no *The Witcher 2* saved games are present, a dialogue can be triggered during the Prologue, allowing you to answer questions to simulate an import of your choices from *The Witcher 2*.

### Performance Note

Running this game on NVIDIA® GeForce® GPUs will enable the best possible playing experience.

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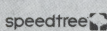
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